



June 2011

ORE Connections



From the Director's desk...

Father's Day

If you were watching a television program and you saw a teenage boy kiss both of his parents good night, would you consider that normal or abnormal behavior? I imagine some would say that for a teenage boy to kiss his mom good night would be normal behavior, but for a teenage boy to kiss his father good night would be very strange. I guess that I am pretty strange because I kiss my dad on a regular basis. He is an old man and so am I.

I want to tell you something that happened in my life when I was a teenager. I attended the St. Thomas Seminary boarding school in Bloomfield. I got to see my parents about once or twice a week. The fact is they did my laundry when I went home.

My dad would often times drive me back to school. Many times I would have him drop me off in the back of the building where many of the guys gathered to smoke. Those were the days when smoking wasn't frowned upon so much because we didn't really know how dangerous it was to our health. Anyway it was customary in our house to kiss, but I wondered if all the other guys were looking at me or not. What was I going to do? I decided to kiss my dad and deal with the consequences of that action later on. Not one guy ever said a thing to me- good thing because I don't know what I would have done to him if he did.

In the Gospel of Saint Luke it says that Mary and Joseph lost their twelve year old son, Jesus, for three days. Do you think they kissed when they finally got back together again? I do. I think it would be strange if they did not.

Years ago, Ann Landers received a letter from a mother asking her at what age a father and son should stop kissing and saying "I love you" to each other. Ann Landers replied- "never."

Shortly afterward, Ann Landers received another letter from a father. He wrote: "A few weeks ago I kissed my son for the first time and I told him that I loved him. Unfortunately he did not hear me because he was dead. He had killed himself. The greatest regret of my life is that I kept my son at arm's length. I believed that it was unmanly for males to show affection for one another. I will never recover from my stupidity."

What is true of fathers and sons is also true of fathers and daughters, mothers and daughters and mothers and sons and children of the same family.

It is hardly conceivable that Jesus who cried at the tomb of his friend Lazarus never embraced his mother Mary and said "I love you"! And it's hardly conceivable that Jesus who told the parable of the Prodigal Son and how father and son embraced each other never hugged Joseph and said "Dad I love you."

One of Bob Hope's favorite jokes concerned his affection for Bing Crosby. Hope said: "There is nothing that I wouldn't do for Crosby and there's nothing that he wouldn't do for me. But that's the trouble, we spend our lives doing nothing for each other."

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ADULT FORMATION/ EVANGELIZATION/RCIA

Lay Ministry

Applications are now being accepted for the Lay Ministry class 2011-2013.

Do you know any lay people who are active in your church in various ministries, but need some training? Our next Lay Ministry classes will begin in September 2011. The Lay Ministry Program could enhance your parish life by providing training for the lay volunteer. The Lay Ministry program is an 18 month formation program that includes classes in theology, spiritual development and pastoral skills as well as a parish internship. For more information check our website, www.orehartford.org or call Mary Marsan at 860- 243-9465.

New England Convocation

See the entry under "RELIGIOUS EDUCATION".
Note: The pre-convocation, August 4-5 (noon-noon) is aimed specifically for those working with the RCIA.

Adult Confirmation

On May 17, 2011 eighty-two adults received the sacrament of Confirmation. We offer them our Congratulations. Our next Adult Confirmation preparation classes will begin the week of September 12, 2011. Please check the web site; www.orehartford.org for registration information.

Hamden, CT: Tuesday mornings, Caritas Christi Center.
Instructor: Sr. Jewel Renna, CND

Plantsville, CT: Thursday evenings, St. Aloysius Parish
Center. Instructor: Sr. Jewel Renna, CND

Milford, CT: Weekday evening (details TBD), Christ
Redeemer Parish. Instructor: Ms. Marcia Franko, MA

CBS Tuition Scholarships are available through the Sr. Jewel Renna Scholarship Fund. Application forms can be found online at www.orehartford.org/cbs.htm or by contacting Jill Costa in the ORE Office. The registration deadline for second-, third- and fourth-year students are now *past due* but will still be accepted if they arrive promptly. First-year students must return completed forms by August 15.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

On Sunday, June 12, 3:00 p.m. in the St. Thomas Seminary chapel, please join in celebration of twenty individuals who will be graduating from the Catholic Biblical School with either a *Certificate in Advanced Biblical Studies* or a *Certificate of Participation in the Biblical School*.

Mount Nebo Day of Remembering and Reflection

Saturday, June 4, 8:30-1:30 p.m. at St. Thomas Seminary. All Year 4 students in the Biblical School are invited to share in this day of fellowship, remembering, and looking forward to new opportunities to nourish our faith as graduates of the Biblical School. Ms. Barbara Gawle of the Church of the Incarnation in Wethersfield will join us to help us consider ways we can help others in our faith community to grow in devotion to God's Word.

Celebrating Student Achievements

The Archdiocese honors the following Biblical School students who earned their Basic Certificate this year:

Alexis Chacchia	St. Teresa, Woodbury
Lynda T. Curtis	St. Francis of Assisi, South Windsor
Sr. Doretta D'Albero, ASCJ	Mt. Sacred Heart, Hamden
Dr. Paula A. deSilva	St. Ann, Avon
Thomas A. Desjardins	St. John the Evangelist, Watertown
Yvonne Distant	St. Mary, New Haven
Prudence Doty	St. Dominic, Southington
Elizabeth M. Gerrity	Church of the Resurrection, Wallingford
Deacon Edward J. Giard	St. Christopher, East Hartford
Fran Giard	St. Christopher, East Hartford
Kimberly Green	St. Peter Claver, West Hartford
Margaret M. Hurley	Sacred Heart, Bloomfield
Karl L. Kuhn	St. Thomas the Apostle, West Hartford
Amy Louen	Basilica of the Immaculate Conception, Waterbury
Sr. Maria Lourdes Maranan	Mt. Sacred Heart, Hamden
Martha C. Marin	Sacred Heart/Sagrado Coraz3n, Waterbury Carol
Ann McAllister	St. Francis of Assisi, Naugatuck
Constance T. Oligino	Our Lady of the Assumption, Woodbridge
Albert Van Leuven	St. Clare, East Haven
Phyllis Voira	St. Francis, New Haven
Bogumil Romuald Zacharski	St. Augustine, Hartford

CATHOLIC BIBLICAL SCHOOL

Application and Enrollment Information:

Are you or is someone you know ready to explore the Bible? Registrations for the seventeenth class of the Archdiocesan Catholic Biblical School are already coming in. College credit is available through St. Thomas Seminary. Application forms are online at <http://www.orehartford.org/cbs.htm>. Or you can contact Jill Costa in the ORE Office to receive materials through email or the postal system. Applicants should make an appointment for an interview with the CBS Coordinator by contacting Jill Costa. All interviews should be *scheduled by August 15, 2011*.

First-year Course Schedule

First-year classes take place at selected locations throughout the Archdiocese. The locations for Year I (2011-12) classes are:

Bloomfield, CT: Monday evenings, Sacred Heart Parish.
Instructor: Ms. Marcia Franko, MA

CBS Registration News for Continuing Students

Reminder: 2011-12 Registration Forms and Tuition Deposits (\$125) for Years 2, 3 and 4 were due on **JUNE 1**. If you have not returned them as yet, kindly do so *right away*, so we can plan appropriately for next year's classes.

Summer Reading Assignments 2011

Advanced Year: Students entering Years Three and Four of the Biblical School in fall 2011 will be reading *portions (only)* of the important church document, "Interpretation of the Bible in the Church." **NOTE:** You are not asked to read the entire document. An abridged version of this document, suitable for this summer reading assignment, is available online or by request from Jill Costa in the ORE Office. Written assignments based on the reading are due at the Opening Scripture Day on August 20, 2011.

Year 2: Students entering Year Two in fall 2011 will be reading Donald Senior's book, *Jesus: A Gospel Portrait*. Assignment sheets are available online. Written assignments are due at Scripture Day, August 20, 2011.

Biblical School Graduates

Look for our mailing in July detailing all the continuing education opportunities scheduled for 2011-12.

CATHOLIC SCOUTING

September 8, 2011 time TBD

Catholic Boy Scout Catholic Committee Meeting
Office of Religious Education
Archdiocesan Center at St. Thomas Seminary

September 17, 2011, time TBD

NCCS Region One Conference
Brattleboro, Vermont

September 24, 2011, 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Religious Emblems Counselor Training
Office of Religious Education
Archdiocesan Center at St. Thomas Seminary

September 30, 6:00 p.m. to October 2, 2011, 11:00 a.m.

Catholic Boy & Cub Scout Camporee
Camp Strang, Goshen, Connecticut

November 6, 2011 at 6:00 p.m.

Adult Boy Scout Banquet:
Archdiocesan Center at St. Thomas Seminary Alumni Lounge

HISPANIC MINISTRY

Próximos Eventos:

Meeting & Retreat

for Hispanic coordinators of parish catechesis

Saturday June 11, 2011

10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

St. Thomas Seminary

467 Bloomfield Ave., Bloomfield, CT

Registration & Information:

Ms. Miriam Hidalgo

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Position Title: Coordinator of Religious Education

Place: St. Rose of Lima, New Haven

Hire Date: July/August 2011

Part time position: 25 hours/week

Part time Coordinator of Religious Education (CRE) will be responsible for coordinating the parish catechetical / faith formation program. The primary area of responsibility will include the areas of Sacramental preparation (Baptism, First Reconciliation, First Holy Communion, and Confirmation), as well as adult faith formation (including Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, RCIA). As a catechetical leader in the parish, the CRE's ministry is one of empowering the parishioners to realize their baptismal call to holiness, community, mission and ministry, and the call to Christian maturity. From "Called and Gifted for the Third Millennium", the bishops of the United States reflect on the 30th anniversary of the Decree on the Laity.

Relational culture and the individual meeting are essential to ministry at St. Rose of Lima, as we seek to deepen and extend our relationships with one another in this diverse community. This art is an important element of all ministry at St. Rose of Lima.

The CRE is part of a parish staff that is collaborative. Parish staff meets regularly to coordinate with pastor the various areas of ministry.

Skills, Knowledge, and/or abilities

- The multicultural nature of Saint Rose of Lima requires competence in written and spoken English and Spanish language, cultural sensitivity, and an appreciation of the challenges faced by an immigrant community.

Educational Requirements:

- Studies in Theology/Religious Education or a minimum of 3 years' work / volunteer experience in Catholic faith formation.

Please contact: Rev. James Manship

Tel: (203) 865-6149

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Important Dates

Mark these dates in your calendars:

September 18, 2011 – Catechetical Sunday (Theme: “Do This in Memory of Me”)

November 5, 2011 – Annual Religious Education Congress

New England Convocation for Catechetical Leadership

Save the date! August 5-7, 2011 at the Springfield Marriott. The pre-convocation is August 4-5 (noon-noon). Workshops are: “The RCIA: An Introduction”, with Fr. Stanley Szczapa and “RCIA Adapted for Children”, with Diana Dudoit Raiche. The Convocation begins on Friday, August 5, with lunch and ends Sunday at 11:00 with brunch. The keynote – “The Future Church” – is on Friday. The speaker is John Allen. Workshops include: “Evangelizing Catechesis: Compelled, Impelled, Propelled” with Carole Eipers; “Integration of Cultures into Community” and “Formando Discipulos. Cultivando la Fe”, with Sr. Ruth Bolarte; “Mistagogia Y El Proceso de Aprender La Fe” and “Conocer y Celebrar en El Siglo XXI”, with Fr. Juan Calderon; “Stories and Songs of Our Faith”, with ValLimar Jansen and Tom Kendzia; “Entrepreneurial Discipleship: Business Not as Usual”, with Rob Brancatelli; “A ‘Holy’ Different Kind of Kid: Younger Adolescents” with Maureen Provencher; “Creativity in Ministry: Reaching Out to Young Adults” with Mary Jane Silvia; “Is the Life I Am Living the Life That Wants to Live in Me?” with LaVerne Bertin; and a panel discussion with Carole Eipers, Ruth Bolarte and Rob Brancatelli. Registration forms are available on our website.

Boston College Summer Institute

Check out the summer institute’s offerings – www.bc.edu/stsummer - courses available from Bishop Thomas Gumbleton, Ronald Rolheiser, Michael Himes, Richard Clifford, Richard Gaillardetz, Tom Groome, Kenneth Himes, Michael Joncas and more.

Religious Education Congress

Save the date!!! Saturday, November 5, 2011 at St. Paul Catholic High School in Bristol. Our keynoter this year is Ken Doran, National Religion Consultant for William H. Sadlier.

Online Workshop with John Roberto

Presented by Paulist Evangelization Ministries – “Envisioning the Future of Faith Formation”. This presentation envisions the future of faith formation in churches using four scenarios which describe the religions and spiritual profiles of people in the community. June 16, 3:00-4:00 ET. For more information or to register – www.pemdc.org.

Catechetical Sunday 2011

The date is September 18, 2011. The theme for this year is “Do This in Memory of Me”. All of the information, including clip-art, a reflection on the Eucharist, two catechist/teacher in-services, teaching aids on the Eucharist and Mass, bulletin inserts, family resources and an intergenerational retreat are available for free downloads at www.usccb.org/catecheticalsunday/. The Catechetical Sunday website also includes numerous articles in English and Spanish and the document, “Happy Are Those Who Are Called to His Supper: On Preparing to Receive Christ Worthily in the Eucharist,” by the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB).

Catechetical Sunday 2012

For those who plan far ahead, the focus for 2012 is on the New Evangelization. The 2012 Catechetical Sunday theme is: “Catechists and Teachers as Agents of the New Evangelization”. The date for 2012 is September 16th.

Loyola Press – New Contact

Our new contact is Carl Janssen. He is an Education Consultant, responsible for the 3 Connecticut Dioceses. He can be reached at janssen@loyolapress.com, (800) 256-0589, ext. 201.

University of Dayton

Registration for Cycle 4 has started! The Cycle starts June 19 and runs through July 23. Registration closes on June 15. Here is the means for online training at a reduced price (The Archdiocese of Hartford has partnered with Dayton) for catechists, catechetical leaders, and all adults. Sign up now. New courses this year are Vocation to Ministry, Digital Catechesis: Web Literacy; Pastoral Approach to Culture; Roman Missal: Preparing for the New Translation and Theological Reflection: Key to Connecting Faith and Life. For more information or to register, go to <http://vlc.udayton.edu>.

“YOUCAT”

“YouCat”, a Catechism for Youth, has now been published. Pope Benedict XVI has said: “So I ask you: study the catechism with passion and perseverance! Sacrifice your time for it! Study it in the silence of your room, read it with friends, form study groups and networks, exchange ideas on the Internet.” The catechism is especially designed for young people, offering a contemporary explanation of the Catholic Faith. Published by Ignatius Press, it is also available from amazon.com

ROMAN MISSAL – 3RD EDITION

The new Roman Missal will take effect on the first Sunday of Advent, 2011.

For updates on workshops, resources, bulletin notices, etc. – www.archdioceseofhartford.org.

Monsignor James P. Moroney will be coming to the Archdiocese of Hartford to present two different workshops on the Roman Missal. A session on Friday, June 3 is for all Archdiocese of Hartford priests and a session on Saturday, June 4 is for all deacons, parish ministers, and anyone interested in attending. Both workshops will be held at the Archdiocesan Center in Bloomfield. The registration form for the June 4th workshop is available on our website.

“Parish Guide to Implementing the Roman Missal Third Edition” is now available from USCCB. The document was developed by the Committee on Divine Worship, and is intended to provide parishes with a road map for promoting and implementing the newly translated texts.

NEW: The Diocese of Lansing has created an excellent document – “Praying the Mass with Children and Adolescents: A Catechist’s Guide to the New Translation”. It is a series of lesson plans for catechists to assist children and teens (and adults) to know and understand the new responses at Mass. More than that, this guide was written with the greater objective of assisting catechists and those catechized grow in a deeper encounter with the living Christ in and through the liturgy. For a free download – www.Dioceseoflansing.org/catechesis_k12/Roman_Missal_Children_Adolescents.pdf. (note: the “spaces” in the web address are really under-scores)

Textbooks: Just about every book for every grade for every publisher is being changed. Check with your local representative or the publisher web page to see when the new editions are available. Most publishers are also including downloadable pages of changes, should you have an inventory of books, and are not yet ready to purchase new textbooks.

YOUTH MINISTRY

DIAMOND Evening of Reflection

Our next gathering is June 15th hosted by St. Margaret in Madison. We meet at the church and then head to our destination (possible the beach to watch the sunset....). Come join us for “Whine and Geez” “Chat and Chew” . “Facet”nating people shining brilliantly!! DRE’s, CYM’s, and other youth serving volunteers gather to network, pray, eat and learn together. (**D**edicated **I**ndividuals, **A**dvocates for adolescents, **M**entors and community builders, **O**bservers of faith, **N**etworking and collaborating, **D**eveloping servant leaders).

Liturgical Taste of Hartford

Join other youth at the Caribbean Mass at 11:00 on June 26th at St. Justin parish at 230 Blue Hills Avenue in Hartford. Experience cultural dance with festive costumes before the Mass even begins!

Catholic Youth Spectacular (CYS)

The 6th annual CYS - September 18, 2011 with APeX Ministries and Joia Farmer at the Archdiocesan Center at St Thomas Seminary. Information at www.youthspectacular.net. Postcard and poster promos are now on the website. Registration begins at noon with the music of Joia Farmer. APeX Ministries will dazzle us with death-defying juggling and Christian witness and then we have many prayerful, playful, and picnic options until we re-gather for Mass at 5:30. Get your \$50.00 Resource Package /Intent to participate deposit in TODAY- We have some great stuff for you!! 37 groups have already signed on for almost 1500 participants. CHANGE OF DATE FOR ORIENTATION – Due to my daughter’s wedding on September 9th, the orientation will be moved to **Thursday, September 1st**.

Fundraising for Catholic Youth Spectacular (WYD, NCYC...)

We have received a wonderful offer from the Rock Cats (site of the 2009 Catholic Youth Spectacular). Call Kim at 860-224-8383, ext. 15 to register your organization to get a customized flyer to recruit friends and families to take Dads to the ball park on Pentecost Sunday – June 12th. Ask about other dates and opportunities to fundraise.

Rock Cats Faith and Family Day

Save Sunday August 21st for the Faith and Family Day with the Rock Cats at New Britain Stadium.

Weekend Christian Leadership Retreat

LAST CALL.....June 17-19, 2011 – Begins at 8:00 Friday and ends at noon on Sunday. Learn more about being a Christ-like leader with teen leaders from across the region. Deepen your understanding of and discover new ways to share your Catholic faith. \$175.00 retreat offering. Please call 860-521-0400 ext 112 or www.holyfamilyretreat.org.

Kujenga Leadership Weekend

LAST CALL - Kujenga-Viongozi are the Swahili words that mean, “to build leadership.” This New England conference (July 29-31, 2011) is at Salve Regina College in Newport, RI. The theme is “Ask Not What Your Church Can Do For You, But What You Can Do For Your Church.” The conference targets Black Catholic youth and young adults to develop leadership skills in the African-American Catholic tradition with Christ at the center of their lives, but all youth are invited to attend. Space is limited. Cost is \$100.00 by June 3rd. \$125 by June 10th. Contact Shawnee for registration materials sbaldwin@adh-ore.org 860-243-9465 ext 2672.

Youth Christian Leadership Institute (YCLI)

10:00am, Monday, June 27th to 3:00pm, Friday July 1, 3:00. Fr. Marot CYO Center - Woonsocket, RI. The YCLI is designed for young people between the ages of 15 to 19 (or at least entering 10th grade fall 2011) who are now or who will be in parish, school, or diocesan leadership roles - parish youth groups, student council representatives, class officers, athletic team captains, etc Cost is \$190.00 per person with a \$10.00 discount for four or more youth from the same parish (or sent as a group from the same Catholic School). Space is limited to 56 persons. \$90.00 deposit (NON-REFUNDABLE -but transferable) due by Friday, June 10th. For info go to: www.ymcyprov.org

Institute for New Youth Ministers (INYM) – August 1-4, 2011

Designed to prepare new youth ministers with 0-4 years experience by addressing “all the things I wished someone told me before I started in youth ministry”. Co-sponsored by National Association of Catholic Youth Ministers Leaders (NACYML) and Cultivation Ministries. Chicago staff includes Mike Patin, Bob McCarty, Ela Milewska, Michael Novelli and Frank Mercadante. Get more information at www.cultivationministries.com or contact FrankMercadante: frank@cultivationministries.com, or 630 -513-8222.

Holy Family Sunday Night Youth Retreats

Mark your calendars and call Theresa Wiss 860-760-9712 to make your reservations for a night of reflection for your youth (presentation, workshops, reconciliation, dinner). 2:30-6:30. \$35.00 September 25, October 9th, 23rd, November 6th, 20th, December 4th, January 8th, 22nd, February 12th, 26th, March 11, 25th, April 22nd.

Middle School Youth Rally

Jackie Francois is coming to Portland, Maine on Saturday June 25th for their day-long middle school (6th-8th grade) rally (\$30.00. \$40.00 if you want the t-shirt) and in the evening for an Hour of Power 7:30-9:30. Please contact Sarah Houde at sarah.houde@portlanddiocese.org if interested in attending. Let them know you are from Hartford, CT.

Mighty Macs

The Mighty Macs movie is the true story of Immaculate University’s (then College) Women’s College Basketball team. The true story is about the first ever basketball championship dynasty for women’s college basketball which eventually lead to TITLE IX and NCAA sanctioning Women’s College Basketball. Check out the trailer at <http://www.themightymacs.com/>. The movie is set to release this October, nationally. Courtesy of *The Maximus Group*

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

CREDO: Web site www.geocities.com/credocath Get a newsletter by writing to P.O. Box 1236, Glastonbury, CT 06033.
St. Patrick, Enfield: Saturdays 7:00-8:30. Contact: Michael LaBarre: (203) 803-0790.

St. Rose, New Haven (Spanish): Sundays at 6:00 p.m.
Contact: German Hernandez: (203) 865-6149

St. Mary, New Haven: Thursdays at 7:00 p.m. Contact: John Alvaro (203) 562-6193 John.alvaro@yale.edu

Rock Group Holy Hour: Fridays: 7:15 pm: 1st Friday: Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Waterbury; 2nd Friday: Holy Spirit, Newington; 3rd Friday: St. Bartholomew, Manchester. 4th Friday: Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, Meriden;
www.therockgroup.org

Bustedhalo.com A website to surprise, challenge & support you in making meaningful faith connections.

Catholic Underground: Saturdays 7:30pm - 10:30pm. St. James Church, 896 Main Street, Manchester. Check out www.catholicundergroundct.com

Catholic Underground CT

Find Young Adult groups, Eucharistic Adoration, Latin Mass, Bible Study, Retreats, Speakers, and more in your area at www.ConnecticutUnderground.com. You never know when a new group or event will pop up, so check out the Latest News section and the Event Calendar regularly.

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Young Adult Initiatives

Our office is exploring some new initiatives with young adults 18-39: Days of Reflection, Justice Walking etc. If you might be interested in being on the planning team, contact Shawnee Baldwin or BJ Daly Horrell.

OTHER

Caritas Christi

Upcoming events: "Encounters with Christ: The Spirit of Christ Among Us", June 2; "Saintly Person of the Month Series: Blessed Pope John Paul II", June 6 or 13; "Film Fest: Invictus", June 8.. For more information or to register, go to www.caritaschristicenter.org or call 203-281-2569.

Our Lady of Calvary Retreat House

Upcoming events: For more information or to register – www.ourladyofcalvary.com, olcretreat@sbcglobal.net, (860) 677-8519.

Holy Family Passionist Retreat Center

Upcoming events: "Women's Retreat: God Changes Everything", June 3-5; "Zen Spirit-Christian Spirit: Meditation as a Christian Contemplative Practice", June 10-12; "Retreat for Music Ministers", June 14 and 15; "11th Annual Gerald J. Kristofak Memorial Golf Tournament", June 16; "Christian Leadership Retreat for Teens", June 17-19; "Inter-Congregational Sister's Retreat", June 19-24; "Directed Retreat", June 19-24; "8th Annual Children's Peace Festival", June 26; "Healing Our World from the Inside Out", November 11-13. For more information or to register, go to www.holyfamilyretreat.org.

DRE Job Opening

St. Maria Goretti Parish, Wolcott, CT has an opening for a DRE to minister to approx 300 students from K to Confirmation class. There are presently 227 students from K - 7th grade and 71 students in the Confirmation preparation classes. For more detail, please contact Donna at 203-879-4608.



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Twitter Español: www.twitter.com/ore_espanol

On Youtube: www.youtube.com/orehartford

2011 Calendar

Reminder: Go to www.orehartford.org and click on calendar. All of our events for Religious Education, Youth and Young Adult Ministry, RCIA, Adult Confirmation, Biblical School, Catholic Scouting, Lay Ministry, and CYO Sports are included. You can list the events by date, print the calendar, click on an event/workshop to get all of the information regarding times and locations or you can search for an event. If you have any questions, contact Pat Keck.

Remember to check often. New events will be added and others updated.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Visit our website at: <http://orehartford.org/employment.htm>



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